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| In re Application of:                         | ) Art Unit: |
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| Winston W. Hodge and<br>William H. Darnall    | ) Examiner: |
| Serial No. 09/761,205                         | )           |
| Filed: 01/16/2001                             | )           |
| For: HIGHLY INTEGRATED<br>COMPUTER CONTROLLED | )           |
| DIGITAL HEAD END                              | )           |

## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

Date of Deposit: February 28, 2001

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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- 1. Power of Attorney or Authorization of Agent (1 page);
- 2. Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b), including copy of Patent Assignment (2 pages);





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Respectfully submitted,

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## **ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, William H. Darnall, an individual, having a place of business at 24290 Avenida de Marcia, Yorba Linda, CA 92887, is the applicant/inventor of the United States Patent Application for the Highly Integrated Computer Controlled Digital Head End, and filed on January 16, 2001

WHEREAS, Coax Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of California, having a place of business at 24290 Avenida de Marcia, Yorba Linda, CA 92887, is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in and to said United States Patent Application.

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Winston W. Hodge and William H. Darnall do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over unto Coax Corporation, its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title, and interest in and to said United States Patent Application and to said invention in all other countries including all priority rights under the International Convention.

WITNESS MY HAND at Yorba Linda, California, this <u>17</u> of January, 2001.

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| Title: CEO                     |
| Winston W. Hodge               |
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| Print Name: William H. Darnall |
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